

Introduced by: Mayor David Pruhs and
Council Member June Rogers
Introduced: August 28, 2023

RESOLUTION NO. 5080

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS TO APPLY
FOR THE HEALTHY AND EQUITABLE COMMUNITIES GRANT**

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Services and the Division of Public Health has made funding available to support activities and strategies to promote and build healthy and equitable communities, with an emphasis on high risk, underserved groups disproportionately impacted by COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the City's Housing Coordinator seeks to develop a program to serve populations at high risk of COVID-19 with housing insecurity; and

WHEREAS, the program will provide rental assistance for eligible individuals within the Fairbanks North Star Borough with proof of past due rent and risk and/or impact of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, this grant will provide funding up to \$75,000 for eligible program expenses through March 31, 2024, with no match requirement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to execute any and all documents required for requesting funds on behalf of the City for the Healthy and Equitable Communities grant.

PASSED and APPROVED this 28th Day of August 2023.



David Pruhs, City Mayor

AYES: PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA
NAYS: None
ABSENT: Pruhs
APPROVED: August 28, 2023

ATTEST:



Colt Chase, Deputy City Clerk

For: D. Danyielle Snider, MMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Thomas A. Chard II, City Attorney

CITY OF FAIRBANKS
FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST:

Ordinance or Resolution No: 5080

Abbreviated Title: Healthy and Equitable Communities Grant

Department(s): Mayor

Does the adoption of this ordinance or resolution authorize:

1) additional costs beyond the current adopted budget? Yes _____ No X

2) additional support or maintenance costs? Yes _____ No X

If yes, what is the estimate? see below

3) additional positions beyond the current adopted budget? Yes _____ No X

If yes, how many positions? _____

If yes, type of positions? _____ (F - Full Time, P - Part Time, T - Temporary)

II. FINANCIAL DETAIL:

PROJECTS:	Equipment	Building	Other	Total
Past Due Rental Payments			\$75,000	\$75,000
TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$75,000	\$75,000

FUNDING SOURCE:	Equipment	Building	Other	Total
Grant Funds (State)			\$75,000	\$75,000
TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$75,000	\$75,000

The city's Housing Coordinator will develop an application and payment process for rental payments. Proof from landlord must be received with application, as well as explanation of COVID-19 risk and/or impact.

Reviewed by Finance Department:

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Date 8/10/2023